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## Discusses the Bridge and "A Ratepayer"

Editor CALL:

the location of the bridge was de- owing to the promptness of their cided on. As the CALL man inever departure after their sales were conlies we shall take it for granted cluded, nevertheless, a surprisingly this was so and surely it proved a large number of members turned bad thing for the settlers of Queens- up with a goodly number of ladies town. But in connection herewith After enjoying the good things pre-After enjoying the good things pieches are described in glowing terms of the loyal described and perhaps the gentlemen in greation and perhaps the gentlemen in greation and perhaps the gentlemen in greation and some of it before good the great the gentlemen in greation and the bridge, although some out of their way, was much nearer them than all the rest of us. When
A Leslie Brereton was the first in glowing terms of deschen to gleichen boy to enlist for service with the Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve, and being a Gleichen to gleichen to gleichen to acquire and operate the electric behavior as the first in all Alberta to ask to be sent overseas. Just like the farmers live at the extended the proposition of Queenstown and McMillan, who corroborated what was already spoken, and entered their way, was much nearer them than all the rest of us. When
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A By-Law of the Town of Gleichen to purchase and operate an electric discipance with the Royal Naval Canadian Volunteer Reserve, and being a Gleichen to you of the Town of Gleichen to you of the first in glow of the Town of Gleichen to you of the Town of Gleichen to you of the Town of Gleichen to you of the Town of Gleich is should not be forgotton that in ared, President A. F. Wilson spoke ever during these 10 long years I Norman, who during the farmers have been compelled to haul loads fight for fair play with the C.P.R. around by the Gleichen bridge I in the irrigation dispute, sacrificed felt it was near dinner time even much valuable time, using his long before I got very far west of experience and undoubted ability on Brown's and those farmers east of the Combined Trigation Committee, me, through Majorville, who had which resulted in saving them thouto use this bridge before the Bassano sands of dellars. After the banquet bridge was built had to use 8 days the company accompanied them to in making the trip. Should anythe station, thronging the platform, thing happen a delay travel it where they cheered vocificatually as often took them a week and after the train pulled out with the train celling their load of wheat and payers aboard. The farmers report

meant Brown's. Everybody stopped proprietor and staff, which was at Browa's and nobody went to Queenstown without going first to had very short notice, but all voted Brown's and in fact everybody it was equal to any and second to liked to stay over at Brown's as none in the Dominion." they were sure to find genuine Scotch hospitality there. The land around Brown's, east of Snake Lake was nearly level and looked good to nost of the early settlers while all the land east of Snake Lake was rougher, more rolling and did not look nearly so inviting.

I remember talking Mr. Robertson, sr., one day, and telling him that my homestead was located east of Snake Lake. He looked at me in a sad way and said it was too bad that I had not succeeded in locating west of the lake where land was so much better. Frank Robertson who was then trying to sell land in the district to outsiders, told me that nobody would consider buying any land east of Snake Lake as they thought it no good.

Things have changed since then get most of their best wheat from they will tell you east of Snake

For the past two years practically all the Majorville wheat has been hauled to Bassano owing to the uncertainty of being able to cross the river at Cluny. Should the Gleichen 'Ratepayer' and Mr. Joe Wright, who appears to be of the same mind, succeed in getting the new bridge placed at the ferry crossing all this eastern trade will no doubt continue to go to Bassano and both Gleichen and Cluny will be the loosers. On the other hand if the new bridge is placed south of Cluny the Majorville farmers would find it to their advantage to haul to contain the property of the mean of and it to their advantage to haul to Cluny as the trail is much better than the Bassano trail.

JOHN GLAMBECK.

March 16-Red Cross dance.

[Contributed by J. C. Buckley.]

than all the rest of us. When- sociability as neighbors, especially

ing expenses in Gleichen and on that no account of this function the road they found they were would be complete without testifymoney out on the whole transaction. ing to the catering, care and atten-In the early days Queenstown tion given by the Palace Hotel beyond praise, especially as they

and it has been proven year after ment chemistry department on ations. year that the most and best wheat munition making. Mr. Shovelton was east of Snake Lake and all has had wide experience in chemthrough the Majorville district. Of istry in England and France. His apcourse, there is good land on the pointment of choir leader in the west side of the lake, particularly Union Church will only be for a on the higher ground, but if you short period, but it is said that the ask the elevator men where they leadership will be taken either by ing four acts, and seventeen artists

helped them in so many ways in their sad bereavement.

Women's Institute—First Wed-nesday in each month.

# Hayes Bros. Banquetted Red Cross St. Patrick's Eve Calico Ball-March 16

Tomorrow night, St. Patrick's eve, the local Red Cross Society's On Monday last the local United Calico Ball promises to be a great success financially as already many Farmers of Alberta entertained at tickets have been disposed of, and that it will be enjoyable is hardly Regarding the placing of the banquet in the Palace Hotel Mr. N. necessary to add, A number of local men have kindly offered to pay steel bridge south west of Gleichen N. Hayes, his brother, Wells Hayes, the cost of the music and have secured a Calgary orchestra for the occas-10 years ago, the Call man tells us with their wives and children, who ion, and as the ladies are supplying the luncheon there will be very little that Messers Brown, Robertson and have sold out and are returning to expense, if any. Thus practically every dollar taken will be turned into Solberg, three Queenstown farmers, their native place in Idaho, U. S. the Gleichen Red Cross Fund to help our sick and wounded soldiers. were present at the meeting where It was necessarily a hurried affair, Every person should buy a ticket and help along this noble cause.

# to Join Overseas Navy

good home and say good-bye to father, mother, brother, sisters and the only friends he ever knew to make the ocean his home, which he never saw. Leslie offered his ser-vices with one of the first battalions but did not qualify. A week ago Sunday he returned from Edmonton looking fine in his new uniform, to say farewell. Friday night a num-

say farewell. Friday night a number of young people gathered at his home and enfertained him until 12 a.m., and at 4 o'clock he took the train for Halifax, from where he saile direct to Dartsmouth, England. Sveryone in Cleichen district joins in wishing Lesie a pleasant, trip pand safe return home. He is the fourth Cleichen-born boy to enlist, the others being Frankie Vigar, Harold Prestwick and Walter James, four as fine boys as ever lived.

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Beck, Sheety, Ellis & Co. were on a basic of the state of the stat

children 35 and 25 cents. Seats may be reserved at Mrs. Brosseau's Parlors for 75 cents. See posters for further particulars.

As we go to press Duncan McBear phones he just received an official telegram that his son James has been wounded a second time. The last on March 3rd; he was struck on the arm, between the elbow and the shoulder, and reported severe.

Every Monday-Oddfellows:

# Leslie Brereton First - Notice Town of Gleichen BY-LAW No. 72

A By-Law of the Town of Gleicher

annum.

And whereas the aforesaid F. C. Vigar has expressed his willingness to accept such debenture arrangements in payment of his plant.

And whereas the whole rateable property of the Fown of Gleichen according to the last revised a sessment is the sum of \$240,896.00.

And whereas the present bonded indebtedness of the Town of Gleichen is \$49,000.00, no part of which lebt is in arrears.

say farewell. Friday night a number of young people gathered at his home and entertained him until 2 am, and at 4 o'clock he took the train for Halifax, from where he sails direct to Dartsmouth, England. Therefore, the Council of the Town of Gleichen enacts as follows:

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J. A. Ramsay, of the Busy Store, has purchased the buildings and stock of A. Boisvert of Cluny and stock of A. Boisvert of Cluny and shall in a week or two have a first-class branch of the Gleichen Busy 2. Each of the said debentures shall

D. 1917. G. H. FARQUHARSON,

P. MACLEAN, Secretary-Treasurer.

FOR SALE—Twe 5 passenger Russell automobiles at low price for quick trade. Machines can be inspected at Irrigation Headquarters, Strathmore, R. S. Stockton, Superintendent Operation and Maintenance.

FOR SALE—Choice Barred Rock Cockerals \$2 and \$2.50 each, phone No. R410 or address Mrs. A. G. Edwards Cluny, Eggs for hatching 13 Nielson Bros., Standard T. H. BEACH,

### Coming Events

Charges are 25c per line under Coming Events heading unless otherwise advertised with the CALL.

March 15-Last day to object to own assessment.

March 15—Carl Christensen auc

March 16-Red Cross Calico ball. March 16—Pioneer School Patri-tic basket social and dance.

March 17—Red Cross entertain-ment in Standard school.

Aug. 17-Gleichen District Agrioultural fair.

March 19—Wm. Robertson auction sale.

March 22—Auction sale of John

E. Graham at Langdon: March 22—Strathmore Amateaur Light Opera Co., "The Minister's Bride".

March 24-H, W. Atkins auction

March 30-The Patriothe play and April 4—The Barrier, in Opera House.

For results advertise in the CALL

### MISCELLANEOUS

WANTED-2000 bu feed oats Paci-FOR SALE—Mason and Bisch Plano in good condition. Practically new. F. C Vigar. 52tf

FOR SALE—Some more gentle milch cows, calved and to calve. Ap-ply T. W. Snowden, Ouellettevile. 2

WANTED—To buy a ranch with or without stock. G P Muir. Gleichen. 52tf FOR SALE—Seed cats, 300 bu Ban-na, free from novious weeds. High garmination. G. P. Muir. 524f

FOR SALE—Tom turkey \$3.50 apply Mrs O W Harrison, FOUND—Weight beam main road north of town. Apply at Call 2

WANTED-2 or 8 geese Mrs Chris. Bartsch. 52tfg FOR SALE—Good milk cows, fresh and coming in and one Grade Short-born bull. Apply M. Bollinger.

FOR SALE—or exchange for second hand Ford car, a new \$400 Mason & Rische Fiano. Apply Call office. 2

WANTED-2000 bushels seed oats Apply Box B, Call office. 50tf
WANTED Woman to do genera
housework and also girl to assist
Apply Matthews & Kidney. 40tf

FOR SALE—By Gleichen Red Oross 100 bushels Banner seed cats, reised by N. W. McMillan Apply to P. McLean.

ESTRAY-One light grey gelding

on left shoulder; dark grey gelding branded BUO on left hip. Shod on all feet, age 8 and 4 years. Reward for recovery. D. Gillespie, Gleichen.

\$5 reward for recovery of each of the cattle bearing the following brands R right hip, E left ribs, 5N left ribs, YA left shoulder, and

right ribs. L. Chase, Cluny. FOR SALE-a few choice white Wyandotte cockerels. Gleichen. 45 W. H. James

Reward For Estrayed Horses

Five dollars reward per head will be R. M. PRATER,

covery of the following horses:
Two bay geldings, weight 1500 lbs.
each, shod on front feet and branded
F2 left shoulder.

One bay gelding, branded left shoulder, weight 1900 lbs. shod on front feet.

One bay mare branded with (R)

on right shoulder, weight 1200 lbs One black gelding; branded

right shoulder, weight 1200 lbs.
One sorrel gelding, weight 1800 lbs.
9 years, brand not remembered.
One white pinto pony branded

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Mr. H. Atkins is selling all farm implements, stock and bousehold goods. There are 24 head of cattle, 6 of the cows will calve in April, bred to Registered Dairy Shorthora bull. 2 rifles and a shotgun. Gasoline engine. Hyerything that is found on a well equiped farm is here.

Sale at 12 A.M

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# Auction Sale

Wm. Robertson, 1 mile west of Queenstown, P.O.s.e. gr. 15-19-22

I have been instructed sell by public auction

# Monday, March 19th

his entire stock of horses, cattle, harness and farm machinery and every thing that is found on a well-equiped farm including household effects,

Sale starts at 12 o'clock. Term cash. No reserve

Auctioneer

# SIR PENYWERN'S WIFE

ispersed.
"A nasty business, Sir Penywern, I nope Lady Tradescant will not be nuch distressed by the commotion," emarked Dr. Gold to the baronet when they were walking 'away to-

when they were walking away other.

"Lady Tradescant! Oh, no, I don't suppose she will hear much about it, xeept perhaps from her maid," said Sir Penywern robustly.

But Lady Tradescant, happened to have been Dr. Gold's patient ever since the day of Rathbone's disappearance, and the doctor, like everybody else, was able to put two and two together—and to make it five.

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### Daring British Airmen

Attacks on trains are very popular with the British Flying Corps. In spite of the bad weather Lieutenant Jwen Taylor Boyd one day descended to within 350 metres in artler to drop bombs on a passing train. Lieutenant Gordon Kidd descended from 2,200 metres to 300 for the pleasure of dropping a bomb on a menition train, which caught fire and blocked the line with wreckage, Lieutenant Taylor derailed a troop train. Lieutenant Gordon Gould, attacked during a reconnaissance, was wounded in the leg. In spite of the intense pain he brought down one energy machine, severely damaged another, and then calculy continued his appointed work.

### WOMEN WHO SUFFER

Can Obtain New Health Through

### Great Provocation

Great Provocation

Mr. Wood was the kind of man always asking obvious questions. The other morning he was passing the home of an acquaintance and stopped in astonishment. In front of the house were two large moving vans. The lawn was strewn with furniture, pictures, etc. Mr. Morse, the owner, appeared, grimy, weary and ill-tempered.

"Hello, Morse!" cried Wood. "Are you moving?"

"Not at all," snapped Morse, "I'm just taking my furniture out for a ride,"—Harper's Magazine,

### Captain Frightened German Cruiser

Commander D. R. Kinneir, of the Pacific Steam Navigation Company, has died suddenly in Liverpool. Early in the war, he distinguished himself by successfully navigating the liner Arega, 8,000 tons, through over a hundred miles of unchartered and dangerous waters in the Straits of Magellan, South America, to rescape from a German cruiser, which did not dare to follow him. Thus his daring saved not only his ship, but also the services of 300 French reservists who were on board. For his gallant seamanship Commander Kinneir received the D.S.O. from the King, a gold watch from the French government, and, among other recognitions of his exploit, a silk Union Jack subscribed for by children.

Rub It in for Lame Back.—A brisk rubbing with Dr. Thomas' Electric Oil will cure lame back. The skin will immediately absorb the oil and it will penetrate the tissues and bring speedy relief. Try it and be convinced. As the liniment sinks in the pain comes out and there are ample grounds for saying that its touch is magical, as it is.

### Barley and Oats

### German Faith in Terrorism

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History and the experiences of the present war prove that Germany's excuse of necssity for using subma-rines against merchantmen and mak-

which is nature's easily-assimilated food, to increase

your red corpuscles and charge the blood with life-

sustaining richness. Scott's creates warmth to throw

off colds and gives resistance to prevent sickness. Always Insist on SCOTT'S. Every Druggist has it, 5COTT & BOWNE, Toronto, Out, 19-18

# Nervous System

Life Insurance Companies Say Health Is Deteriorating

Americans Ruin

Is Deteriorating

We Americans, it seems, are little better physically than a race of mollycoddles. Our muscles are flabby from lack of use and our nervous systems and digestive organs are runned from excesses. We are mostly too fat, and our average span of fife is only 40 years. Yet, despite these facts, those discriminating men who write life insurance and have the differentiating of good, bad and indifferent "risks" down to a science, admit that they have written more life insurance upon American risks than upon the people of all the rest of the world put together, though the American population is only about one-fifteenth of the whole.

Those are a few of the facts revealed at the recent meeting in New York of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents. The 200 delegates represented about 80 per cent of the larger companies of the United States and Canada, which place approximately ninety per cent, of the 24 billion dollars of old time life insurance now in force in this country.

Relief for Suffering Everynberg

Relief for Suffering Everywhere.-

with the button, according to Prof. Charles C. Torrey of Yale, who lectured recently at Washington University in St. Louis. Professor Torrey said that hairpins had been found in a rock stratum lower than those in which buttons were found. The oldest style of hairdressing was the braid, according to the Yale professor, Ringlets, popular among young women and some not so young today, were in high favor with the belles of Babylon four thousand years ago, he said.—Kansas City Star,

"I am proud to say that my grand-father made his mark in the world," remarked a conceited youth, "Well, I suppose he wasn't the only man in those days who couldn't write his name?" replied his friend,



### A Legislative Test

Value of Beer

Value

### Good Old Times

Relief for Suffering Everywhere.—
He whose life is made miserable by the suffering that comes from indigestion and has not tried Parmalee's Vegetable Pills does not know how. casily this formidable foe can be dealt with. These pills will relieve where others fail. They are the result of long and patient study and are confidently put forward as a sure corrector of disorders of the digestive organs, from which so many suffer.

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It is very necessary to state definitely that a narcotic such as alcohol, possessing possibilities for the initiation of habits and methods of life which may be productive of infinite evil, should never be self-administered and must only be employed as a therapeutic agent under strict and scientifically directed medical supervision.

Even the generally accepted view

Minard's Liniment Cures Colds, Etc.

As a test of sobriety, "Peter Piper ricked a peck of pickled pepper," is quite as good as any other; though T: scarcely capeted to see it become a doctor the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to model for the drafting of a govern with which it is proposed to meet be described by a government till. But clause 2 of the meaunce the drafting of a govern conting for the drafting of a govern conting for the



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THURSDAY, MARCH 15, 1917

### Patriotic Play and Dance

While the Gleichen Branch of the Canadian Patriotic Fund has done nobly in the past but there is still over \$3,000 to make up the \$8,000 allotted to this constituency to raise, and it must be done. In order to help a number of local ladies and gentlemen have for some weeks past spent much valuable time preparing to stage a play entitled "Captain Racket", a synopsis of which will appear in next issue. Although we have not been privileged to see any of Agent the rehersals, we learn it will merit the approval of all.

The committee has not only decided to put on this pay at 8.30 p.m. on Friday, March 30th, but will also give a dance. Already a number of gentlemen have come forward to meet all the expenses and have secured Bailey's four-piece orchestra of Calgary for the occasion. The play, which is comedy full of action from start to finish, and dance will be given for the small sum of \$1 and reserved seats may be had at Mrs. Brosseau's for \$1.50; and these should be secrued at once as they are going fast, one man having secured eighteen. The cast of character for the play

### Captain Robert Racket,

Of the National Guard, a lawyer when he has nothing to do and a liar all the time, Mr. James Cameron

Obediah Dawson,

His Uncle, from Japan, "where they make tea" Mr. T. H. Beach

Timothy Tolman,
His friend, who married for money, and is sorry for it,

Mr. F. N. Lett

Mr. Dalroy

His father-in-law, a jolly cove,

Mr. B. Ramsbottom

Hobson,

A waiter from the "Cafe Gloriana", who adds to the confusion,

Mr. Anthony Read

Clarice,

The Captain's pretty wire, out for a lark, and up to "anything awful"

Mrs. James Cameron

Mrs. Tolman,

A lady with a temper. who finds her Timothy a vexation of spirit,

Mrs. Burke

Katy,

A mischievous maid,

Miss Bowser

Tootsy,
The "kid", Tim's olive branch,

Stage Manager and Director, Miss Gooderham

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### GLEICHEN, ALTA NOTICE

All persons are hereby warned against buying any grain, hay or other produce, cattle, horses, waggons, harness, saddles, mowers or rakes from any Indian of the Blackfoot reserve without an officially printed permit issued by the Indian

Also not to take in pledge or make any loan upon any article to any Indian under penalty of havins
thy such articles seized and being
prosecuted for illegal pawning
J. H. GOODERHAM
16tf Indian Agent

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# Dissolution of Partnership Notice

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between J. L. McCrimmon and R. W. White, carrying on business as merchant tailors at Gleichen, under the firm name of McCrimmon & White, has by mutual consent been dissolved. And that R. W. White is now the sole proprietor of the said business, and asks for a continuation of the patronage of their customers.

R. W. WHITE,

Merchant Tailor,

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You can buy irrigated land from the Canadian Pacific Railway at prices up to \$50 per scre, with 20 years to pay and the privilege of a loan of \$2,000 for improvements

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terest if settlement conditions are complied and no water rental for first year. Contract can be paid off before maturity if desired.

This is the most liberal offer of irrigated farm land on record. For full particulars apply to

ALLAN CAMERON, Gen. Supt. of Lands, Canadian Pacific Railway, Dept. of Natural Resources, 928 1st St. 1 CALGARY, ALBERTA



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### WAR LOAN

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### ISSUE PRICE 96.

A FULL HALF-YEAR'S INTEREST WILL BE PAID ON 1st SEPTEMBER, 1917. THE PROCEEDS OF THE LOAN WILL BE USED FOR WAR PURPOSES ONLY.

THE MINISTER OF FINANCE offers herewith, on behalf of the Government, the above-named Bonds for Subscription at 96, payable as follows:—

- 10 per cent on application; 30 " 16th April, 1917; 80 " 15th May, 1917; 26 " 15th June, 1917.

The total allotment of bonds of this issue will be limited to one hundred and fifty million dollars, exclusive of the amount (if any) paid for by the surrender of bonds as the equivalent of cash under the terms of the War Loan prospectus of 22ad November, 1915.

The instalments may be paid in full on the 16th day of April, 1917, or on any instalment due date thereafter, under discount at the rote of four per cent per annum. All payments are to be made to a chartered bank for the credit of the Minister of Finance. Failure to pay any instalment when due will render previous payments liable to forfeiture and the allotment to cancellation.

Subscriptions, accompanied by a deposit of ten per cent of the amount subscribed, must be forwarded through the medium of a chartered bank. Any branch in Canada of any chartered bank will receive subscriptions and issue provisional receipts.

This loan is authorized under Act of the Parliament of Canada, and both principal and interest will be a charge upon the Consolidated Revenue Fund.

Forms of application may be obtained from any branch in Canada of any chartered bank and at the office of any assistant Receiver General in Canada.

Subscriptions must be for even hundreds of dollars.

In case of partial allotments the surplus deposit will be applied towards payment of the amount due on the

Surp certificates, non-negotiable or payable to bearer in accordance with the choice of the applicant for registered or bearer bonds, will be issued, after allotment, in exchange for the provisional receipts.

When the scrip certificates have been paid in full and payment endorsed thereon by the bank receiving the money, they may be exchanged for bonds, when prepared, with coupons attached, payable to bearer or registered as to principal, or for fully registered bonds, when prepared, without coupons, in accordance with the application.

Delivery of scrip certificates and of bonds will be made through the chartered banks.

The issue will be exempt from taxes—including any income tax—imposed in pursuance of legislation enacted by the Parliament of Canada.

The bonds with coupons will be issued in denominations of \$100, \$500, \$1,000. Fully registered bonds without coupons will be issued in denominations of \$1,000, \$5,000 or any authorised multiple of \$5,000.

The bonds will be paid at maturity at par at the office of the Minister of Finance and Receiver General at Ottawa, or at the office of the Assistant Receiver General at Halifax, St. John, Charlottetown, Montreal, Toronto, Winnipeg, Regina, Calgary or Victoria, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

by cheece, which will be remitted by post. Interest on bonds with coupons will be paid on surrender of coupons. Both cheques and coupons, at the option of the holder, will be payable free of exchange at any branch in Canada of any chartered bank, or at the Agency of the Bank of Montreal, New York City.

Subject to the payment of twenty-five cents for each new bond issued, holders of fully registered bonds without coupons will have the right to convert into bonds of the denomination of \$1,000 with coupons, and holders of bonds with coupons will have the right to convert into fully registered bonds of authorized denominations without coupons at any time on application to the Minister of Finance.

The books of the loan will be kept at the Department

Application will be made in due course for the listing of the issue on the Montreal and Toronto Stock Exchanges.

Recognised bond and stock brokers having offices and carrying on business in Canada will be allowed a commission of three-eighths of one per cent on allotments made in respect of applications bearing their stamp, provided, however, that no commission will be allowed in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by the surrender of bonds issued under the War Loan prospectus of 22nd November, 1915, or in respect of the amount of any allotment paid for by surrender of five per cent debenture stock maturing 1st October, 1919. No commission will be allowed in respect of applications on forms which have not been printed by the King's Printer.

SUBSCRIPTION LISTS WILL CLOSE ON OR BEFORE THE 23rd OF MARCH, 1917.

DEPARTMENT OF FINANCE, OTTAWA, March 12th, 1917.

# BRITAIN— CALLS TO CANADA-

THE FARM She must have Food—

for her Armies in the Field-for her Workers in the Factory-in

### the Munition plant—in the Shipyard—in the Mine. THERE'S DANGER IN SIGHT—BUT YOU CAN HELP

Do You Know\_\_\_

that the rapidly rising price of food stuffs means that the World's reserve supply is getting small?

Do You Know-

that a world-wide famine can only be averted by increasing this supply?

OO YOU KNOW-

that a "food famine" would be a worse disaster to the Empire and her Allies than reverses in the Field?

YOU CAN-

help thwart Germany's desperate submarine thrust on the high seas.

YOU CAN-

do this by helping to make every bit of land in Canada produce—the very last pound of food stuffs of which it is capable.

AND REMEMBER

that no man can say that he has fully done who having land-be it garden patch, or farm, or ranch—fails to make it produce food to its utmost capacity.

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Martin Burrell-Minister of Agriculture

The Department invites every one desiring

information on any subject relative to Farm

face us, the supreme duty of every man on the land is to use every thought

and every energy in the direction of

producing more—and still more."

and Garden, to write-

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# BRITAIN APPEALS TO CANADA

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India and Argentina are more than twice the distance away and Australia more than four times.

Canada to Britain

India & Argentina to Britain -

11900 MILES Australia to Britain

INFORMATION BUREAU

# DOMINION DEPARTMENT OF AGRICULTURE

OTTAWA

# SCOTTY

BY COLIN MCKAY

The brigatine, stripped to topsalls, was running before a southerly gale, plunging exultantly through the racing surges, pling athwart her sheering bows tumbling arches of crystal foam. The mate, an ancient seabear, bulky in oilskins, stood by the binnacle, watching the heaving decks, the straining sails, with impassive countenance and steadfast old eyes. Presently he glanced astern where the heavens were banking up with bulging blue-black cloud-masses in titanic convulsions; then, shunting athwart, he flung back the hood of the companion.

"Ho, captain, you'd better come up

A young man with an unwholesome and irritable aspect poked his head above the souttle and looked around quissically: "What's the matter now?"

"What's the matter now?"

"Time to heave to, sir."

"Heave to—in this breeze!" snapped the skipper. "Get out! I call'ate to make Halifax today some time."

"You'll not do it, sir. It'll be blowing feather white before long, and as thick as a feather bed. The sooner you heave to, the better."

The captain's cadaverous countenance darkened with wrath, and his fishly eyes blinked furiously.

"I'm running this ship," he snarled in his nasal, nagging tones.

"If you keep her going, you'll have her on a lee shore in a howling snowstorm, and maybe lose her, and all hands," responded the mate quietly.

"Oh, you're getting frightened of your precious life, are you?" snorted the packet next trip, do you?

Old Bootty, drunken old Scotty, master of a ship! Not if I know it. You're too old and nervous to go to sea." And growling to himself, he dryped below, banging the scuttle behind him victously.

The mate's old eyes blazed with murderous ferceity, and his vigorous old frame trembled violently with the vehemence of his rage. "I'll be the death of that fellow yet." he muttered savagely. "If he cheats me tut of my last hope of obtaining another command, I'll—"

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mand, I'll—"

Suddenly he turned about and glanced at the man at the wheel—a stalwart young fellow, with features set in a grimace of torture, hurling the spokes back and forth with frenzied

"Steering hard, Young "
The man answered explosively, in a sort of petulant fury, as though his temper had been strung to the bursting point by the strain of his relentiess labor:

"She'll kill a man, sir. Why don't year take charge of her, and heave her to? The old man's drunk or crasy."

The mate blazed at him angrily,
"Answer me civiliy, and don't pass
opinions"; then, turning away, he
moved forward to the break of the
poop and bawled out in a great deeptaned voice that boomed down the
wind like the roll of a drum: 'Lay att
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coned voice that boomed down the wind like the roll of a drum: 'Lay aft here, Johnson, and lend a hand at the wheel."

The ship sepd on, bounding with fierce, bodeful leaps over the roaring billows, plunging recklessly into the troughs. Bhe receled before it like a wild thing, kicking up her heels as though in defiance of the great grayheeded combers swarming after her like a pack of monstrous and ravening wolves. She tore on, quivering and groaning, and the old mate watched her with quiet eyes.

After a time the day darkened, and borne upon the wings of the wind, a flurry of snow swept whirring over the sea. The captain came on deck and looked about him briskly.

"At the rate she's traveling now, we ought to sight land in a few hours," he shouted cheerily.

"We're more likely to pile on a sheal," answered the mate angrily.

The captain laughed with amused contempt.

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"Oh, don't excite yourself, Scotty," he growled irritably. "The weather is soln' to clear presently. That bank astern is the last of it; the glass is going up." Then, with a sudden outward thrust of his shaven chin, and a furious bilinking of his beady eyes, he added vehemently, "And-don't threaten me, you old coot. If it wasn't for your gray head, I'd smash your face."

"Oh, don't excite yourself, Scotty," REAL ESTATE

REAL ESTATE

Fire, Life and Accident Insurance Money to Loan Row Land For the Trusts and Guarantee Company, Limited, Sale

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Suddenly a snow squall swooped down, black and appalling, out of the boiling sky, and burst upon them. The ship, shuddering -violently from the impact of it, seemed to spring forward like a race-horse at the prick of a impact of it, seemed to spring forward like a race-horse at the prick of a spur. With a wild, scooping motion, she leaped from sea to sea, plunging her bows into the bastions of the flee-ing surges till she filled her foredecks

ing surges till she filled her foredecks from rail to rail.

"Get the topsalls off her, Scotty," the captain yelled excitedly in a sudden blue funk.

"They'll blow off, as soon as we start the sheets," answered Scotty composedly. "And then she'll loose headway and be pooped for sure. You might as well bring her to now—the topsalfs in, I say—and be quick about it."

The captain took the wheel and the

cuick about it."

The captain took the wheel, and the mate weat forward with the men. But before they started a thing, both topsail yards carried away at the slings and went over the bows in pleces; and the forestay, speared by a falling apar, flogged instantly into rags.

"Look out, boys. She'll heave to,

(continued next issue)

# **Are Your Hail Premiums Excessive?**

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The steel box drill is the best on earth. We have them.

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# Thomas Henderson

Successor to McKie and Henderson

Calgary, Alta,

NOTICE

In the matter of the Court of Confirmation of the Tax Enforce-ment Return of the Town of

Take notice that a Judge of the District Court of the District of Calgary has appointed the 11th day of April, 1917, for the helding of the Court of Confirmation to confirm the Tax Enforcement Return of the Town of Gleichen.

Dated the 5th day of Feby., 1917. PETER MacLEAN.

Secretary-Treasurer,

Town of Gleichen.

"We own and offer for sale a fraction containing 102 acres of the N. E. t of Sec. 26. Tp. 22 Rge. 23 at \$17.00 per acre and the full S.R. -27-22-23 at \$14.00 per sore. Park cash, balance at 6%. Write or call for full particulars.

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Calgary, Alta.

The price of paper and ink continues to advance in price, and in order to meet it all subscriptions must be paid in advance.

**British Derivations** 







Swiss baker:

"You must hold on and do nothing rash. The depression of the mark is obvious, and more is to come. We know here that your enemies are in a desperate position and that what they have done in Roumania has given them no decisive result, and their chiefs are now reduced to saying: We fight only now for our lives."

They know they are done for. Think what the fate of their rulers will be! If victorious they may be assassinated. If vanquished the scaffold awaits them."

Miller's Worm Powders destroy worms without any inconvenience to the child, and so effectually that they pass from the body unperceived. They are not ejected in their entirest, but are ground up and pass away through the bowels will the excreta. They thoroughly cleanse the stomach there will be more evival of the posts. They know they are done for. Think what the fate of their rulers will be!

Natural Result
"I anderstand Blank doesn't stammer so much since he got married" "Of course not; he gets fewer chances to talk than he used to."

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Sillicus-In trying to please a wo--Make a fool of yourself

# CAADAIS MARTYR TO PAINS IN THE BACK

Halifax, N.S., Jan. 15, 1916 Halifax, N.S., J.m., 10, 1010. About eight months ago I read your advertisement in one of the Halifax papers offering a free sample of Gin Fills for the Kidneys. I had been a martyr for years to intense pains across the back and decided to try Gin Fills, Before I had finished the third box I found myself for the first time in years perfectly free from pain.

Yours sincerely, Mrs. (Jane) Percy. All druggists sell Gin Pills at 80c. a box, or 6 boxes for \$2.50. Sample free if you write to WATIONAL DEUG & CHEMICAL CO. OF CANADA, LIMITED TOTORIO, ORL. 68

A French aviator has placed a pneumatic buffer in front of the seat of his aeroplane to lessen the shock should he strike the ground heavily, N. U. 1146

Tommy Was Disappointed

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The mails from home had just been received by a certain regiment. Not only were there letters, but many parcels from relatives and friends at home for lucky soldiers. One of the Tommics received a large box addressed to himself, and with a tri-umphant yell he rushed off to his company's lines and gathered them round him to share in the eagerly anticipated contents of his box.

"Smokes, lads," fie cried, as he undid the wrapping. "From the old man; I know it. An't there's sure to be a bottle or two of Scotch."

He opened the box, gave one look at the contents, and collapsed in a heap.

"What is 16?" gried his gavents.

heap.
"What is it?" cried his comrades,

"What is it? cried his comrades, pressing round,
"It's from Auntic Mary," groaned the disappointed warrior, "Bandages an' ointment an' embrocation an' splints, an' a book on "Ow to Be' Your Own Surgin!"—Montreal News

## France Cuts Down Meals

Food Wasted Now May Mean Much Before the War Is Over

France has followed the example of England and Italy in restricting meals in restaurants. Diners in restaurants are hereafter restricted to hors d'oeu fres or soup, two other dishes and cheese or desert. In regard to the two main dishes, the bill of fare, instead of the sixty or seventy items usually presented, is confined to a maximum of nine. The mine include one egg dish, three meat and three vegetable. The restriction have been drawn up in conjunction with the representatives of the provision trades and have been taken in good part by both the public and the restaurant proprietors. Public opinion generally recognizes the importance of stopping the waste in food.

The decree is applicable to allees-France has followed the example o

tones, said:

"Madam, will you please ask your son to close the window."

The "son" closed his mouth, and the bride no longer giggled.

"Military Precision

A colonel in the French army who had a great eye for neatness, but not much of an ear for music, took oc-

Would you like to end that ter-rible itching, that burning pain; to heal those horrid sores? You have tried all sorts of fatty

You have tried all sorts of fatty ointments, lotions and powders. Put them aside now and give Nature a chance as represented by Zam-Buk. Zam-Buk is made from herbal-sences; is a natural healer. Is not something you have to send to the end of the world for, and pay a heavy price! Every druggist will sell you Zam-Buk and for 50c, only, Just give it a fair trial and incidently give yourself ease by the quilchest route. See name on box:—



EGYPTIAN LINIMENT Por Sale by All Dealers Douglas & Co., Prop'rs, Hapanes, Ont.

# New Health Ideals

Need for Preaching of the Gospel of a Sound Body

Much interest has been aroused in

It is interesting to remark that Major-General Sir Frederick Maurice, who was quoted the other day as of opinion that the German peace proposals were a result of the fighting on the Somme, is the son and biographer of Frederick Denison Maurice, the famous English preacher. In England, also, minister's sons are liable to arrive.

Lloyd George is not a minister's son, but his father was a Unitarian schoolmaster. He got his early education at Llanystymdwy Church school, married a wife from Mynyddednyfed, Criccifeth, and lives, when it home, at Brynawelon. Etymologically speaking, these are pretty solemn facts.—Life. Celluloid wings for acroplanes said-to be so transparent that they are invisible 300 feet in the air, have been invented by a German engineer

### TO CHANGE YOUR SKIN!

How to Develop the Highest Degree of Vital, Nervous and Muscular Vigor.

Snakes throw off their outer skin once a year. Human beings change their skin perhaps nine times in a year; that is, they have a new skin about once

in six weeks.

The value of a clean skin in maintaining health is not properly understood by the majority of people. Cleanliness is a part of health. You cannot be healthy unless you are clean, not only externally, but also internally.

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The blood should also be assisted occasionally, like the skin, in throwing off poisons so that the system may not get clogged and leave a weak spot for disease germs to enter the system. When the blood is clogged we suffer from what is commonly called a cold.

Dr. Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery purifies the blood and entirely eradicates the poisons that breed and feed disease. It thus cures scrofula, eesema, boils, pimples and other eruptions that mar and scar the skin. Pure blood is essential to good health. The weak, run-down, debilitated condition which so many people experience is commonly the effect of impure blood. Doctor Pierce's Golden Medical Discovery not only cleanses the blood of impurities, but it increases the activity of the blood-making glands, and it encites the body with an abundant supply of pure, rich blood.

Take it as directed and it will search out impure and poisonous matter in the stomach, liver, bowels and kidneys and drive it from the system through the natural channels

It will penetrate into the joints and muscles, and dissolve the poisonous accumulations. Bad blood is driven out. It will furnish you with rich, pure blood full of vital force—the kind that increases energy and ambition, that rejuvenates the entire body.

before they began making remarks about her.

Her hast year's bonnet and coat were fully criticized with more or less giggling on the bride's part, and there is no telling what might have come next if the lady had not put a suddyn store to the conversation by a bit of strategy.

She turned her head, noticed that the bride was considerably older than the bride was considerably older than the groom, and, in the smoothest of tones, said:

"Madam, will you please ask your.

A cooled in the Freeda army will had a great eye for neatness, but not much of an ear for music, took occasion one day to compliment his bandmaster on the appearance of his neen. "Their uniforms are neat," said the colonel, "and their instruments are nicely polished and kept in order, but there is one improvement that I must insist upon."

"What is it, colonel?"

"You must train your men, when they perform, to lift their fingers all at exactly the same time and at regular intervals on their instruments, so—one, two one , two!"—Argonaut,

Freddie, accompanied by his Freddie, accompanied by his governess, was passing a street where a load of straw had been scattered in front of one of the houses in which there had been illness, "Miss Manning, why did they scatter this straw about here?"

"Well, Freddie," she replied, "a little baby came to Mrs, Reed last night."

night,"
"My," sald Freddie, "but it was well packed,"

Contractor—I'm employing all the men I need right now, The Ragged Applicant—Scems to me you could take on me, the little work I'd do—The Siren.

# FROST BITES

### **Predicts Great Advance** In Agricultural Education

More Attention to be Given to Training in Our Agricultural Schools

Speaking before the annual convention of the Western Canada Irrigation Association at Kamloops, B.C., James McCaig, of the Alberta Department of Agriculture, made the prediction that the time would come when departments of Agriculture would go much farther than they now do in the matter of agricultural education.





Much interest has been aroused in an address given before the Winninger by Dr. Stewart Fraser, chairs to man of the provincial board of health. There were three descattatials to good body, a good mind, and good moral and good and good moral and good moral and good moral and good moral and g



Mrs. H. Houston, Highland Grove, Ont., writes: "While attending school my daughter became weak and very much run down. She was frequently troubled with bad fainther any good. We were advised to try Dr. Chase's Nerve Food, and did so with most satisfactory results. I am pleased to tell you that after using five boxes of the Nerve Food she was completely cured, and has had no return of the fainting spells."

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ilton Houston, J.P.

Experience with many thousands of cases has proven that this restorative treatment is just what pale, weak, nervous children need to build up their systems and to help them back to health and viger. 50 cents a box, 6 for \$2.50, all dealers, or Edmanson, Bates & Co., Ltd., Toronto.

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and the necessity of wearing glasses

The rational treatment for this condition

natural in action, this food cure is wenderfully potent in restoring strength and vigor to the exhausted nervous system.



# **SOME NAVAL LESSONS BRITAIN HAS** LEARNED DURING THE GREAT WAR

### Britain's Strength Inexhaustible

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LEARNED DURING THE GREAT WAR

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### The Road to War

England and France Are a Part of

### Various Spheres of Influence in China

# SOME CLEAR FACTS REGARDING THE **COMMERCIAL POSITION OF CANADA**

# Ramsay's Inaugural Spring Address

TEXT-"New Conditions in Gleichen District Successfully Met".

We are now passing through a period when results of big crops are apparent on every hand. Our farmers, who in the past had to be carried by "The Busy Store", are now able to pay cash in most all cases and a new condition demanding careful handling by the merchant

Realizing this fact the Busy Store has inougurated its new system, which is proving a splendid success. Our new Rock Bottom Cash Prices, quoted only to our cash or 30 day day customers, enables the Cash Buyer to get down to the level and buy his goods at prices which gives him no excuse to buy out of town.

In doing this we are not shutting off our credit customers. Any one wanting accomodation for three, six or nine months can always receive it at the Busy Store at our credit prices-not our cash prices.

That is wide-awake business, It meets the new conditions and places an obligation upon our farmers whereby they have got to play square, as we are not asking any favors of them. We are out for business and if we give them—which we can—prices, which we defy mail-order houses to beat, it is up to the farmer to give us his Cash. He may be also facing some lean years when he will not have cash to spend.

In short we have jumped into the breach and are meeting successfully the changing conditions. The Busy Store has never been caught sleeping and now that the Gleichen district has money and lots of it, we are putting up the fight of our lives to keep Gleichen's money right in Gleichen.

That's our springs address and we are prepared to carry out every plank in our platform.

Yours for Spring Business.

J. A. RAMSAY

The Busy Store"

Where the People Trade

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# J. O. BOGSTIE

Farm Implements, Automobiles, Harness, Etc.

ty spring stock is now complete with everything needed by he Farmer. Inspection will convince you the prices are right and the material the very best manufactured.

### Automobiles

We are agents for the McLAUGHLIN. The best car for the money in Canada.

Our garage, in the basement of the Griesbach Block, is the tup-to-date in Alberta. We are prepared to do all kinds of repairing on short notice. Acetylene welding a specialty.

### Kentucky Drills

Just received a carload of Light Draft Kenucky Drills—with detachable shoe heal. Be ure to see these before buying. Acetylene Welding

Bring us all your old broken eastings and we will make them as good as new, no matter how large or small. An expert is now on the job, who will save you time and money. No need now to send away and wait days and weeks for any of

### Harness

We bought a large stock last July before the price advance and are in a position to give our customers this advantage in harness. Look over our stock if you want to save money.

Chatham, Winner and New Superior Fanning Mills. Primrose Separators, the best on the market. Standard Sewing Machine. Weber and Fish Wagons Grey Campbell Buggies. Scales. Kitchen Cabinets Titan and Mogul Gasoline Engines and Tractors International Harvesting Company full line of repairs Advance Rumely Threshing Machine Company

Binders,

Largest Implement Stock in this District to select from

Harrows,

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GLEICHEN

# LOCAL AND GENERAL

The average printer handles 80 to 90 thousand type a week so do not take a fit if he gets one or two in the wrong place:

Chris. Bartsch purchased 100 fine work horses last week to use in put-ting in 4500 acres of crop on his farm near Huzzar and 1800 south

Dr. A. Ashdown Marshall, eye ight specialist of Calgary, will be at Dr. Farquharson's office Saturlay, March 17th. Make appointments at Drug Store.

You liked Father Pat in the Rosary" He will be in the Opera House with his company on Wednesday, April 4th. This time he will present "The Barrier".

We must urge on advertisers to bring in their copy early. Last and this week we had to leave out ads. and news items as we had not the time to "set" the type after they reached this office.

H. Mecklenburg, the reliable and ong experienced eye specialist, will be at the Palace Hetel, Gleichen, on Thursday, March 29th, and the Hunter Hotel, Bassano, Wednesday. March 28th. See him to see good.

Among the beautiful floral offerngs contributed at the funeral of Mr. and Mrs. R. B. Hayes' little boy were wreathes by Mr. and Mrs. A. W. Walker, the parents, Knights of Pythias, Mr. and Mrs. R. S. Robison and Mesers. A. F. Wilson and Harold Dunn; and sprays by Mr. and Mrs. R.M. Allen, Mr. and Mrs. E. Tayor, Mr. and Mrs. P. J. Umbrite, Mr. Stanley Hall and Mrs. Dennison, Mr. and Mrs. L. A. Moore, Miss Lillian Moore and Mr. and Mrs. Wells Hayes,

At the Alberta Provincial Seed Fair T. W. Snowden won two prizes for Marquis wheat and he sent in the cheque for the cash to the GALL with instructions to present it to the Gleichen Red Cross branch. Mr. Snowden is justly proud to win the prize, which he considers sufficient bonor and give the cash where it will do good. Would that we had more farmers of his caliber. He won first prize for any milling varity of spring wheat and the second for best Marquis wheat. He is now offering this prize wheat for sale in this issue.

The C.P. R. has announced that it is prepared to supply all care needed, and out of turn as recorded. on grain order books, for all ship. ments of seed grain in western provinces. The ruling will include shipments designed to all points in Ontario situated on the lines of the Canadian Pacific. This ruling is made to ficilitate the movement of seed grain in time, so that all farmers may be able to secure their seed and make the proper tests before the time of seed planting. It is understood that a tremendous business in seed grain has been done throughout Alberta and the other provinces this winter, owing to the fact that much of the grain of Saskatchewan, Manitoba and northern Alberta is unfit for seed. The special ruling of the Canadian Pacific is made with a view to aiding the farmers. It will have the effect of speedy transportation for all seed grain shipments prepared for loading or consignment.

There will be a basket social and lance given in the Pioneer School on St. Patrick's eve, Friday, March 16th. The proceeds will be sent direct to the boys who have answered the call of their country from the Queenstown, Milo and Majorville districts. Everybody come and bring the addresses of your friends at the front.—Committee.

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